In the Matter of the Petition

of

WAYNE A. AND SHARON L. ALGER

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State of New York County of Albany

Carmen Mottolese , being duly sworn, deposes and says that she is an employee of the Department of Taxation and Finance, over 18 years of age, and that on the 10thday of November , 1976 , she served the within

Notice of Decision

by (certified) mail upon Wayne A. and Sharon L.

Alger (representative xxxx) the petitioner in the within proceeding,

by enclosing a true copy thereof in a securely sealed postpaid wrapper addressed

as follows: Mr. & Mrs. Wayne A. Alger

9214 Idaho Place

Williams Air Force Base

Arizona 85224

and by depositing same enclosed in a postpaid properly addressed wrapper in a (post office or official depository) under the exclusive care and custody of the United States Postal Service within the State of New York.

Sworn to before me this

10th day of November

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# STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE

#### TAX APPEALS BUREAU

STATE CAMPUS
ALBANY, N.Y. 12227
November 10, 1976

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO

TELEPHONE: (518) 457-3850

Mr. & Mrs. Wayne A. Alger 9214 Idaho Place Williams Air Force Base Arizona 85224

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Alger:

Please take notice of the **DECISION** of the State Tax Commission enclosed herewith.

Please take further notice that pursuant to Section 690 of the Tax Law, any proceeding in court to review an adverse decision must be commenced within 4 months from the date of this notice.

Inquiries concerning the computation of tax due or refund allowed in accordance with this decision or concerning any other matter relative hereto may be addressed to the undersigned. They will be referred to the proper party for reply.

Very truly yours,

Frank J. Puccia

Supervisor of Small

Claims Hearings

Taxing Bureau's Representative:

Enc.

STATE OF NEW YORK

STATE TAX COMMISSION

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DECISION

for Redetermination of a Deficiency or for Refund of Personal Income Taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the Year 1973.

Petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, residing at 9214 Idaho Place, Williams Air Force Base, Arizona 85224, filed a petition for redetermination of a deficiency or for refund of personal income taxes under Article 22 of the Tax Law for the year 1973. (File No. 3-49105503). On July 22, 1976, petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, advised the State Tax Commission in writing that they desired to waive a small claims hearing and to submit the case to the State Tax Commission upon the entire record contained in the file.

### **ISSUE**

Whether or not petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, were residents of New York in the year 1973 and therefore subject to personal income tax on all income from whatever source earned during said year.

### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, filed a joint nonresident personal income tax return for the year 1973. Petitioners reported the husband's nonmilitary wages earned in New York as their only New York income. Other wages earned outside of New York and the husband's military income for the entire year were not reported as New York income. The Income Tax Bureau held that petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, were residents of New York and all income was subject to personal income tax. A Notice of Deficiency was issued November 25, 1974 in the amount of \$191.26 additional tax plus \$5.53 interest for a total of \$196.76. From this amount, a \$71.00 overpayment shown on the return was subtracted leaving a balance due of \$125.79.
- 2. Petitioner, Wayne A. Alger, was a domiciliary of New York when he reenlisted in the United States Air Force in Florida and remained there until October, 1971, when he was reassigned to Lackland Air Force Base in Texas. In the summer of 1972, petitioner, Wayne A. Alger, was assigned to duties in New York by the United States Air Force. He remained in New York until October, 1973. Since this time, petitioner, Wayne A. Alger, has been assigned to military duty in Thailand, Kansas and Arizona.

3. Petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, contend that, while living in Texas during 1972, they elected to change their domicile from New York to Texas and were still domiciliaries of Texas during all of 1973. In support of this contention, petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, stated that they registered to vote in Texas and also registered their automobile in Texas.

## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- A. That petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, were domiciled in New York in 1973 and that they at no time effected a change of domicile to Texas.
- B. That since petitioners, Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger, were domiciliaries of New York in 1973 and since they did not maintain a permanent place of abode outside of New York during said year, they were therefore subject to New York State personal income tax as resident individuals on all their income including income earned outside of New York State in accordance with the meaning and intent of section 605(a)(1) of the Tax Law.

C. That the petition of Wayne A. and Sharon L. Alger is denied and the Notice of Deficiency issued November 25, 1974, is sustained.

DATED: Albany, New York
November 10, 1976

STATE TAX COMMISSION

PRESIDENT

COMMISSIONER

COMMISSIONED